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In re application of: Jingmin He et al.
Serial No.: 10/036,196 Group: Art Unit 2137
Filed: December 28, 2001 Examiner: Fields, Courtney D.
For: RELATIONAL DATABASE MANAGEMENT ENCRYPTION SYSTEM

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL FORM

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

[] Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

[] A verified statement to establish small entity under 37 C.F.R. § 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.

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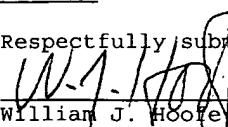
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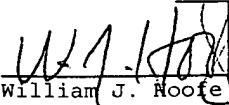
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed January 30, 2006, please consider the amendments and remarks made herein. A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is filed concurrently herewith.

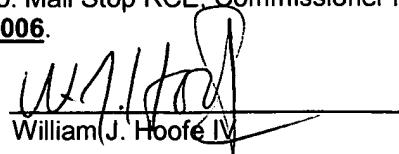
Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.

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